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King size bed sheets

Nicole Franzen was barely a week into my job at House Beautiful when I was worried that I had made a huge mistake. You see, I'd come across an article published in this very outlet that suggested something so antithetical to my core beliefs that I feared that I would never come to terms with it. This article is this: an impassioned manifesto against the innocent-and, I would say, a must-top list. Fortunately, we have an open-minded bunch here at HB and after a spirited discussion in one staff meeting (it seems this issue is a really divisive one), the team suggested I write a rebuttal. And I'll refute. As I see it, the top letter has been overlooked and under-appreciated for a long time. In her story, Danielle Tullo calls the unnecessary linen that comes with the rest of your bedding set, a sign I'm sure no harmless piece of linen or cotton deserves. Two years ago, GQ posited that the top letters were a scam (though they, too, offered an alternative opinion days later). Now, dear reader, I plan to argue this point on three counts. First: aesthetics. Scroll through the following pictures of beautiful, welcoming beds: What do they all have in common? Two words: Above. Letters. Yes, as Eddie Ross reminded us a few weeks ago, the top sheet is an essential part of creating that beautiful, layered look, making the best beds look so comfortable. And with that great bedding out there, who in their right mind would have passed the opportunity for one more way to use it? And use it, given that we spend about a third of our lives under covers. Which brings me to point two: hygiene. I'd like you to think long and hard about the last time you washed your duvet. Now think about the fact that you may well spend more time between the sheets than you do in clothes that probably throw in the hamper at the end of the day than the civilized individual that you are. Yes, we all know that duvets are washable, but we also all know the twister game that is wrestling that duvet back into its cover. I'm skeptical of anyone who says they do it every week. Speaking of Twister, the last complaint I see levied against the top sheets is that they have a knack for getting twisted and shoved down to the bottom of the bed at night. I'm here to tell you it's not their own fault. As a chronic throw-a-turner myself, I can testify that the top sheet properly tucked away and folded will last even the most appropriate night's sleep. So instead of hating the sheets, maybe we should all learn how to make beds. This content will be imported from [\(embed-name\)](#). You may be able to find the same content in a different format, or you may be able to find more information on your website. Follow House Beautiful on Instagram. This content is created and maintained by a third party and imported to this page to help users provide their email addresses. You may be able to find more information about this and similar content on [piano.io](#) David Choice/Getty Images While the weight of a king-sized bed varies depending on the manufacturer, quality and mattress type, Hyatt estimates the weight of the king-sized mattress as 95 pounds and the weight of the two-piece box jar set at 66 pounds. The total weight of the mattress and foundation is 161 pounds. Innerspring mattresses are generally lighter in weight than memory foam or latex foam mattresses, according to Amerisleep. A low-density memory foam mattress is a few pounds heavier than an internal mattress. A memory foam mattress with a density of more than 4 pounds weighs nearly 30 percent more than innervation. Adding a foam pillow-top to the innerspring mattress increases the weight of the bed. One of the most common questions when buying a larger bed is whether to go for a standard or California King size. There may be some confusion about the differences between them, and there are pros and cons for both. California Kings are generally thought of as a more specialized bed. They are less commonly produced and purchased, which can make buying bed accessories (especially bed fronts) difficult for them. One frequently asked question is whether the placemat King will fit the California King - and the answer is not as simple as one might think. [Check out [sleepopolis](#) breakdown on common penalty sizes here!] What is a king-size bed? Woamed Tencel leaves Malouf on king size BedA King the size of the bed (also known as the Eastern King) is 76 inches wide by 80 inches long - wider and shorter than the California King. It is ideal for those who like a lot of sleeping space, or for those who have children or pets who visit the bed too. The king-size bed provides an equivalent sleeping room for two twins and is the best bed size for horizontal space. The equipped sail for the king bed is usually 76x 80 x 15, and the flat sheet is 110, x 114. What is the King of California? The California Kings (also called the Western Kings) are the longest beds on the market, designed especially with very high sleepers in mind. They're 72 inches wide by 84 inches long, which is 4 inches longer and 4 inches narrower than a standard king size bed. Although this comparison may make the California king sound narrow, it's actually 12 inches wider than the size of the Queen - undeniably still a sizeable bed. The mounted leaf for the Californian king is 73, x 85 x 15, while the flat sheet is 111, x 114. Common misconceptions about King vs. California King SizesWhy California King is the longest size mattress on the market, many assume they are the largest. But the King of California is actually smaller in width than the standard king. It also has a smaller total area than the standard king. It is rather a specialized mattress, especially for those who are very tall or who have a long and narrow bedroom space. For those who just want a really big bed, the king may be the one to go. Mattress Sizes Sizes - twin, twin XL, full, queen, king, split king, california kingWhat they are For selection either? If you're tall, the King of California seems to be the obvious choice, simply for this extra length. It is ideal for those who find their feet hanging from the end of other beds. Those over 6 feet will likely find it more comfortable, and those over about 6 feet 3 may need a California King to fit comfortably into their bed. Another good way to decide between the King and the California King is by checking the dimensions of your room. If you are trying to fit a bed in a certain space, check which size will be more appropriate. One may look more aesthetically pleasing than the other in a certain space, too. The main area of difference between the two, though, is the ease and availability of finding suitable bed liners, along with other bed accessories such as blankets and headboards. King Size letters are easily accessible, but this is not always the case with California King.Are Letters Interchangeable? One of the biggest drawbacks of the King of California is that it can be difficult to find placemats and bed accessories that fit. While King's leaf sizes are relatively ubiquitous in department stores, California King's letters are harder to come by. Sometimes you can find special letters to contacts of a company whose letters you already know and like. Another option is to get california king bed sheets specially made. In the Internet age, getting California King letters has become much easier, too. Fitted sheets are unlikely to be able to transition between King and California King bed size. Sometimes they can only be done on a fit, but the frustration of corners constantly popping up can be difficult to deal with. One tip to be equipped with King's bedding work on the California King bed is to turn it sideways. Even if it's not an ideal fit, these dimensions are closer and the fit will be a little better. King Size Bed Dimensions with two adults and a small child for scaleHowever, you can have more luck with the backless leaves. Although incapacitated, non-elastic-initiated King leaves may not be the ideal size for a California King bed size, they're a useful tip for those really trying to find California King sheets. In a pinch, they can definitely do their job. There are also some companies that produce something called the King Size Flat Sheet, which includes the largest dimensions of both King and California King, which is 102 inches to 108 inches. These letters are interchangeable between the king and the King of California. There are also options for oversized King blankets and bedspreads that will easily work on the California King. There are a number of ways to get sheets that fit the California King's bed. But it should be remembered that getting bed sheets for it is not always easy, can be expensive, and can mean you have to settle for a slightly imperfect fit. California King Size Bed Dimensions With Two Adults for ScaleWhich is a Better Choice? Generally speaking, if you have a specific need for a Californian king, recommended to go to the king. King Size bed is more suitable for the more common wants (more sleeping space) and needs (space for visitors of the child and pet variety) of the average large bed of the customer. However, for those taller than six feet (and even more so for those over), the California King is likely to be a more comfortable choice. If the letters issue really bothers you, we have a comprehensive list of letters available in the size of the California King, so you no longer have to let them postpone. Some Sleepopolis FavoritesFor leaves that fit in both sizes, one of our top picks are purple leaves. Their King/California King Size is bargain at \$129, and perfect for those who want cool, see-through, light bamboo leaves at great value. If it's Tencel you want, Malouf make great quality leaves up to the size of the California King that are soft, cool and affordable at \$167.99. Because they're Tencel, they're also environmentally friendly. For a cotton sail suitable for the King of California we recommend Naturepedic Organic. As you would expect from quality cotton, they are very edible and durable, and due to their ecological design they are also healthy and organic. California King's Letter costs \$259. Get the latest deals, discounts, reviews and gifts! The next two tabs change the content below. Below.